

## POULUS DRIVE WEDGE DEEP INTO FLANK OF TEUTONIC FOE

General Foch in Series of Night Assaults Forces Germans From Positions North of Somme Cutting Communication With North

FRENCH SOLDIERS HOLD FIRM DESPITE ATTACKS

Combes and Peronne Threatened By Salient and Crown Prince Rupprecht Tries In Vain To Win Back Lost Ground

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)  
PARIS, September 14.—Driving eastward in the face of a strong German resistance, the French yesterday crossed the Peronne-Bapaume road and captured the important center Bouchavesnes. They held firm in spite of repeated desperate counterattacks launched under the direction of Prince Rupprecht, the Bavarian crown prince, now in command of the coming forces on the Somme river battlefields.

The French have now advanced almost thirteen miles due east from the positions they held when the present Somme offensive began on the first day of last July. The British, to the north of Combes, have made slightly more than nine miles to the east of the positions around Albert, from which they launched their offensive last July. French salient sharp pointed.

The new French salient is a sharp pointed one, and the Germans yesterday made frantic efforts to crush in the sides of the triangle as well as to strike back the head, but in vain. Once their counterattacks succeeded in crumbling up the French resistance and in clearing the French out of Bouchavesnes, but the French pushed back and within a short time had retaken the ground they had won, and the night came held it securely.

The French line now runs from its junction with the British army slightly southwest of Combes, almost due east to a point north and east of le Bois d'Anderlin, just south of le Prieux Farm, where they captured a powerful system of forts yesterday. Thence it bends in a long curve that runs generally east and south to a sharp point at the little city of Bouchavesnes, where it swerves southerly across the Peronne-Bapaume road, past Hill 76 and thence, bending sharply to the east again, it comes down past a point to the east of Clercy sur Somme. Here it dips south to cross the river between Chamecourt and Hulle. Thence, after crossing the Somme canal, the line bends easterly once more until it reaches the town of Baches, just across the river from Peronne.

Rejoins Former Line  
To the south of Baches is the famous Chateau in Massonneville from which runs a road held by the French to Barchin, after which the line swings west and south again past Belloy on Sauter, and then on to Sauter, Deulcourt and Vandœuvre, to the neighborhood of the original line, where it rejoins the original line of the offensive, the Germans dug themselves after the battle of the Aisne.

The Bouchavesnes salient threatens the continued German possession of Combes, which town is flanked by the French now, as well as Peronne. Incidentally the cutting of the Peronne-Bapaume road which the Germans had used largely for transporting heavy material and men from the northern lines to the positions around Peronne and south as far as Roy, is a serious blow to the Teutonic forces here.

That they realized the importance of the possession of that high way was shown yesterday by their repeated and costly attempts made in an effort to regain the lost road. Time after time they were repulsed. At last, however, the concentration of the artillery fire proved too much for the French infantry and they were forced to flee from the advanced trenches.

French Reinforce Soon  
But supports came up and the French, acting under orders from Foch, re-attacked the positions and retook them. The fighting east of Bouchavesnes was ferocious, say the official accounts issued by French war office last night.

On the flank of the salient the Germans also poured a force infantry and artillery fire to cover their attacks against the French positions at l'Abbe wood and Hill 76, southwest of Bouchavesnes. Here also they were at first unsuccessful, then victorious and at the last defeated. The positions rested in French hands at nightfall.

The French reports of the fighting announced that the troops of General Foch had taken 2300 prisoners, together with a number of machine guns, during the two day's struggle for Bouchavesnes. Much of the fighting was done in night attacks during Tuesday night, the French sending successive charges against the Germans, after the guns had prepared the way by blasting to bits the German trenches.

Gains On Verdun Fields  
Not only on the Somme fields did the French make gains yesterday, for the official communique told of decided advances north of Verdun, where the roles of attacker and attacked

## PRESS OF GERMANY ATTACKING GERARD

Declares American Ambassador Is Working Openly In Interest of Great Britain

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)  
BERLIN, September 14.—Ambassador Gerard is now under a hot fire from certain sections of the German press, which is accusing him of "working in the interests of Great Britain," and quote him as having criticized Dr. Gustav Stresemann, a member of the Liberal party in the Reichstag.

According to the statements made in some of these papers Ambassador Gerard is declared to have said that a recent speech made by Doctor Stresemann in the lower house of the Reichstag, revealing a resumption of the submarine warfare, was "comprehensible."

It is claimed that Gerard said that he was "unable to understand how any representative of a district for which the export trade with the United States was a matter of vital consequence, could advocate a resumption of the ruthless submarine policy of Germany."

Mr. Gerard has flatly denied that he ever heard of the Stresemann speech, or that he made any such public utterance as ascribed to him by his attack.

## MINING PROPERTIES WILL BE SAFEGUARDED

But Government of Mexico Invites Capital From America

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)  
NEW LONDON, Connecticut, September 14.—Mexican members of the international peace commission, in session here, assured the American members that the recent decrees of General Carranza, fixing taxation of mining properties, were not intended to be confiscatory, but merely as revenue measures.

It was not the intention of the de facto government, the commissioners declared, to drive out American capital, but rather the reverse. They added that General Carranza is attempting to encourage the staking out of small claims, instead of the larger tracts which were the basis of so much speculation during the rule of Porfirio Diaz.

Secretary Lane, after the session last night, said that all the commissioners are gaining ideas and knowledge of conditions. He said that the future of Hawaiian-born Japanese is worthless and hopeless.

## FORMER KIOTO MAYOR PASSES OUT IN JAPAN

(Special Cablegram to Hawaii Shipco.)  
TOKYO, September 14.—Mitsuru Inoue, former mayor of Kioto and a doctor of laws, died yesterday morning. He had been mayor of Kioto for three terms, but resigned office last month because of ill health. He was fifty years old.

have been reversed and the Germans are being slowly forced back from their advanced positions won after such severe fighting last spring and early summer.

Berlin officially admits the loss of Bouchavesnes, and reports heavy fighting at the Verdun front in the northern fringe of the Vaux Chapelle woods. The French also reported another attack in the region of Fleury, where they declare the Germans were driven back by the concentrated fire of the guns.

Italians Win Victory  
The Italian troops again came into their share of the world's attention yesterday, when Rome announced that the Latin soldiers operating in the Dolomite Alps had won a spectacular victory over the Austrians by the capture of a position commanding the Austro-Italian valley and the Lagazuoi region. The Austrians are said to be trapped in the mountains.

In the Balkans the march of events halted slightly yesterday. Not that there was not some heavy fighting, but neither side scored any marked gains, although the British war office announced that the British troops who had crossed the Struma River earlier in the week had returned to the west bank once more. The report comes from Salonika, the base of the fighting in Greek Macedonia. The British are said to have inflicted heavy losses upon the Bulgars before retiring.

West of the Vardar river the Italians came into the fighting yesterday, as reported by reports from the Greek frontier. There they are said to have driven the Bulgars beyond the Demir Hissar railroad, thus cutting that line of communication, and forcing the Bulgars and Bulgars defending the sector, to fall back.

Of the fighting in the east the reports are conflicting.

Berlin Claims Advance  
Berlin issued a statement last night announcing that the Russians have been compelled to retire all along the Carpathian range, while the accounts from Petrograd told of exceptionally severe fighting, but assert that the Slavs have held all of the ground that they have recently gained.

Berlin also reports that the Bulgarian forces operating on the southern frontier of Rumania are progressing in a methodical manner. German troops have been sent to assist the Austrians fighting Transylvania, according to a statement issued by the German general staff last night.

## MAYOR MITCHEL ADMITS FAILURE

Announces That Officials of Street Railways Refuse To Arbitrate With Strikers

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)  
NEW YORK, September 14.—Mayor Mitchell announced last night that he has failed to induce the officials of the Interborough Rapid Transit Company and the other street car lines in New York, to arbitrate the demands of the streetcar workers' unions. They stand firm in their attitude of refusal to meet the unions on any common ground, declaring that the latter have broken their pledges to the companies.

The earnest today will march in a monster procession through the streets of the city. The parade is designed to show the people of New York the strength of the unionists.

The surface lines are still tied up by the streetcar strike. The elevated and subway systems are so far congested by the tremendous traffic thrown to them by the stoppage of the surface lines.

## FUTURE OF HAWAIIAN JAPANESE 'HOPELESS'

Nipponese Writer Comments Bitterly On Conditions Here

(Special Cablegram to Hawaii Shipco.)  
SAN FRANCISCO, September 13.—Kazuo Kiyahara, the Japanese writer, arrived here in the morning. He publicly announced today that he was greatly disappointed about the present condition and probable future of Hawaiian-born Japanese, after he made careful investigations while he was in Hawaii.

He said further that the future of Hawaiian-born Japanese is worthless and hopeless.

## CONSUL BLAMED FOR SPREAD OF CHOLERA

(Special Cablegram to The Hawaii Hochi.)  
TOKYO, September 12.—Nearly all newspapers in this city are attacking the department of foreign affairs, and blaming Consul T. Sugimura at Manila, who neglected to report cholera in the Philippine islands, where it is stationing. He is charged as responsible for the cholera situation in Japan at present.

## OFFICIAL IS STRICKEN

(Special Cablegram to Nippon Jiji.)  
TOKYO, September 12.—Cholera has appeared in the department of home affairs, one of the officers being stricken while he was at his desk. The building has been ordered disinfected.

## EMPEROR REMAINS IN NIKKO

(Special Cablegram to The Hawaii Hochi.)  
TOKYO, September 12.—Emperor Yoshihito and the empress have postponed their return to their palace from the summer palace at Nikko, because the cholera epidemic is unchecked in this city.

## PRESIDENT AWAITS WORD OF CONDITION OF SISTER

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)  
LONG BRANCH, New Jersey, September 14.—The plans of President Wilson are still being held in abeyance, until definite information of the outcome of the illness of Mrs. Annie E. Howe, Mr. Wilson's only sister, is received from New London. Last night Mrs. Howe was reported much weaker.

## GERMAN AEROPLANES SINK SLAV DESTROYER IN BALTIC

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)  
BERLIN, September 13.—A German aeroplane squadron has sunk a Russian destroyer in the Gulf of Riga, according to the German admiralty reports. On the Black Sea coast German naval planes are operating in force, several of them attacking Russian warships on the sea.

## VICE-PRESIDENT WILL BE FORMALLY NOTIFIED

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)  
INDIANAPOLIS, September 14.—Vice-President Marshall will be formally notified of his nomination to the vice-presidency by the Democratic party here today. Arrangements have been made for addresses by Martin Glynn of New York and Vance McGinnis.

## DILLON-LEVINSKY DRAW

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)  
MEMPHIS, Tenn., Sept. 13.—The fighting between Jack Dillon and "Bat" Levinsky came to a draw in the eighth round.

## CHRONIC DIARRHOEA

Be very subject to attacks of diarrhoea. Keep absolutely quiet for a few days, rest on bed if possible, be careful of your diet and take Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. This medicine has cured cases of chronic diarrhoea that physicians have failed on, and it will cure you. For sale by all druggists. Reason, Smith & Co. Ltd. Agents for Hawaii.

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Baby of Mr. and Mrs. Harold P. Hustace of Kaimuki Loses Life In Accident

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)  
SAN FRANCISCO, September 14.—A child was killed when a wild horse, which was thrown open at an elaborate affair about November 30, returned from San Francisco in the Matsonia Tuesday.

While in San Francisco Mr. de Souza made exchange arrangements with the Hotel St. Francis and has the promise of James Woods to "send him all" to Maui and to the Grand Hotel. In this connection the Valley Island boniface is preparing a pamphlet that will be distributed broadcast from the St. Francis and be included in all of the literature mailed by that hotel.

Brings French Chef  
Full equipment for the Grand Hotel was purchased on the Coast by de Souza, and is expected to arrive in the morning on September 18. He also secured the services of P. McDonald, former chief clerk at the Fairmont, San Francisco's most exclusive hotel, and more recently manager of the Fielding Hotel, in the Bay City. McDonald will assume the position of associate manager of the Grand Hotel and will be located in Honolulu to care for tourist travel on route to Maui, while de Souza will be on hand to greet guests arriving at the hotel.

A French chef, formerly of the Hotel Maryland, of Pasadena, returned with de Souza and immediately will begin laying out bills of fare for the future. The best in the culinary art is promised. Gala House Warming Planned  
Arrangements will be made by the Grand Hotel management for tours of Maui, with special attention to the new National Park of Haleakala. The tours will be personally conducted and the Grand Hotel auto service will be called into play in the respect.

According to de Souza, the opening of the new hotel will be considerable of a gala event in Maui. Governor Pinkham has been requested to be the guest of the hotel management on this occasion, as well as a number of prominent Honoluluans, while it is expected that Maui will turn out en masse.

de Souza says that Hawaii is almost a wilderness on the Coast. He anticipates unprecedented travel in this direction during the coming years and expects that Maui will get her full quota of the visitors.

Morris Keohokalole, postmaster of Paia, Maui, recently arrested in San Francisco on a charge of embezzling postal funds, returned to Honolulu yesterday in the Ventura, in charge of Deputy United States Marshal Mulhall of the Coast city.

Shortly after his arrival here Keohokalole waived examination before United States Commissioner Curry, by whom he was committed to the next federal jury, which will take up and investigate the charges against the Paia postmaster.

Road has been fixed at \$3000, Keohokalole's alleged defalcations being said to exceed \$2000.

Keohokalole was one of the six delegates from the Territory to the St. Louis Democratic national convention, which nominated President Wilson as a candidate to succeed himself at the coming November elections. The defendant was the Maui member of the delegation. He remained in the mainland after all his fellow-delegates returned to the islands, and was arrested three weeks ago in San Francisco, following the exposure of his administration in relation to the money order department of the Paia postoffice, of which he was postmaster.

## DAVIES & COMPANY TAKE ALMOST ENTIRE BLOCK

It has been learned that in the big deal which took place several months ago in which T. H. Davies & Company and the Bishop Trust Company paid the Spreckels Estate \$350,000 for its property in the district between Queen and Merchant streets, the Bishop Trust Company takes as its share the strip on the Ewa side of Bishop street.

Davies & Company, who take almost the entire block bounded by Queen, Bishop, Merchant and Alaheka streets, probably will not build at once, as it is understood the lease on their present premises had two or three years' life. They will build at leisure, removing into the new location as best suits their business.

## NEW CASES OF INFANTILE PARALYSIS ARE REPORTED

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)  
NEW YORK, September 13.—Nine deaths and thirty-one new cases of infantile paralysis were reported by the authorities today.

## FRANKLIN BURNETT IS DEAD

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)  
SAN FRANCISCO, September 14.—Franklin Burnett, grandson of Peter Burnett, first governor of the State of California, died here last night.

## YOUNG COUPLE WILL BE WEDDED SATURDAY

The wedding of John A. Noble, of the Mutual Telephone Company, and Miss Harriet Lockington, will take place at five o'clock Saturday afternoon at the home of the bride, Prospect avenue, Awaolu, Hawaii. Rev. Samuel K. Kamae, assistant pastor of Kua Makapili Church, Palama, will perform the ceremony and Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Kamae will be the witnesses. Miss Lockington is the adopted daughter of Mrs. Lockington and her late husband, George W. Lockington, of Hilo.

## DEPARTMENT OF STATE TRIES TO SAVE ELTON

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)  
CITY OF MEXICO, September 14.—The state department of the United States has formally requested the de facto government to commute the sentence of death which has been passed by a court martial upon Harold Elton, a sentence of twenty years. Elton is an American mining engineer, and was convicted of having assisted the reactionaries in Oaxaca.

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Manager of Valley Island's New Hostelry Brings Expert Assistants From Coast

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## SEVEN STATES MAKE TICKETS FOR NOVEMBER AT PRIMARIES

Vermont South Carolina, Illinois, Louisiana, Colorado, Arizona and Washington Scene of Unusually Heavy Voting This Year

## CONTEST EXCEPTIONALLY AGGRESSIVE EVERYWHERE

Former Senator William Lorimer of Chicago, Seeking Nomination For Congress, 'Comes Back' Strongly In His District

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)  
CHICAGO, September 14.—Seven States, including Illinois, held primaries yesterday, and it has been many years since so much interest in public matters has been shown by the average citizen, as was revealed by the size of the vote cast in almost all of the States.

In Illinois the vote ran hundreds of thousands above former years, while in Arizona, South Carolina and Washington the balloting was unusually heavy. In Louisiana, also, where the fight against former Governor Jared Y. Sanders was particularly bitter, the vote cast was unexpectedly large, and in Colorado the fighting was spirited and close.

## Dunne and Lowden Nominated

Governor Dunne was renominated by the Democrats without opposition of a really serious nature, by a plurality of 150,000 votes, while the Republican nominee, Frank O. Lowden, will receive at least that number. A plurality in the early figures on the returns are supported by the later ones. Representative James R. Mann, Republican house leader, was renominated with little opposition.

The sensational feature of the primaries here, however, was the spirited race run by William Lorimer, former senator, who staged a "come back" turn, which has surprised even his friends. He is, according to the late returns last night, only 155 votes behind Arthur Fulton, his rival for the Republican nomination for the lower house of congress, and stands a fairly good chance of landing winner at the end.

## Representatives Are Chosen

William McCord and Representative Burnett Chipfield are believed to have won the Republican nomination in their respective districts against keen competition, while the Democrats have named Representative William E. Williams and Everett Jennings as their respective opponents.

The indications are that Gov. George Carlson of Colorado, will be renominated by the Republicans of that State. The fight at the primaries was close, with Carlson leading and the vote large.

In Arizona incomplete returns indicate the renomination of Governor Hunt, Democrat, by 3000 majority. Campbell, Republican, was not opposed for the nomination. Ashford, Democrat, will oppose Kibbey, Republican, for the senate. For the house of representatives Hayden, Democrat, is renominated. Whether Eads or Nelson, Republican, is nominated is undecided by the returns so far.

Unofficial returns last evening indicate that Governor Richard F. Mann, of South